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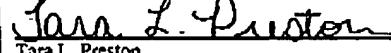
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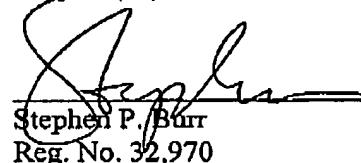

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Sir:

The Examiner in charge of the above-identified application telephoned applicants' representatives on August 13, 2003, to communicate a restriction requirement between Group I, claims 1-7 and Group II, claims 8-14.

In response to that restriction requirement, on August 15, 2003, applicants' undersigned representative provisionally elected to prosecute the invention of Group I (i.e., claims 1-7) in this application. Applicants' undersigned representative hereby confirms that this provisional election was specifically made with traverse, since no adequate basis therefor has yet been set forth in the record.

Respectfully submitted,


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